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Please find below and/or attached an Office communication concerning this application or proceeding.

If NO period for reply is specified above, the maximum statutory period will apply and will expire 6 MONTHS from the mailing date of this communication.


The reply filed on November 27, 2006 is not fully responsive to the prior Office Action because of the following omission(s) or matter(s): Applicant has failed to elect a single species from each of the Groups of species set forth in the requirement for restriction on May 18, 2006. See 37 CFR 1.111. Since the above-mentioned reply appears to be *bona fide*, applicant is given **ONE (1) MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS** from the mailing date of this notice, whichever is longer, within which to supply the omission or correction in order to avoid abandonment. **EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a).**

It has been noted that the requirement for restriction had stated that there are five Groups of species from which Applicant must elect when there were only four Groups of species listed. In any event, Applicant shall elect a single species from Group I species set as well as elect a single species from Group II species set as well as elect a single species from Group III species set as well as elect a single species from Group IV species set.

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to M. Safavi whose telephone number is (571) 272-7046. The examiner can normally be reached on Mon.-Thur., 8:30-5:00.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Patricia Engle can be reached on (571) 272-6660. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.

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